Remarks

In response to the Notification of Defective Response having a mailing date of May 19, 2003, Applicants have prepared this amendment to direct the insertion of the "Sequence Listing" into the specification.

Applicants respectfully assert that all amendments are fairly based on the specification, and respectfully request their entry.

Early and favorable consideration is requested.

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